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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Roger Howard WILLIAMS III

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For:

SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR IMPLEMENTING AN INTEREST-BEARING

INSTRUMENT

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO ACTION OF AUGUST 19, 2008

This responds to the Office action mailed August 19, 2008. In lieu of filing an appeal brief, Applicant is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrent with this Amendment.

Please amend the present application as follows:

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